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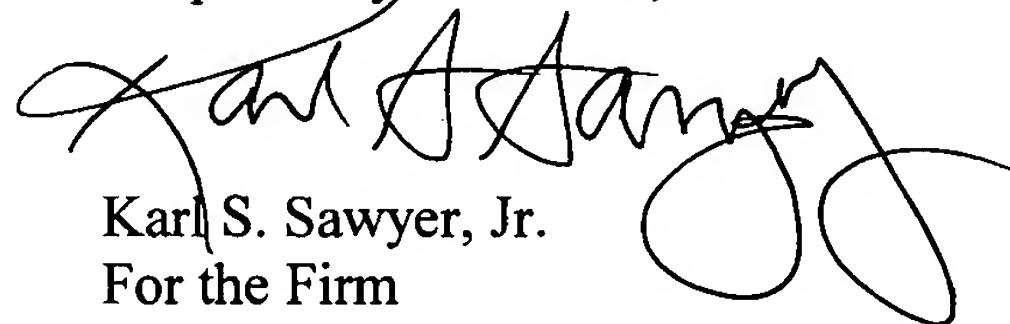
RE: **STATUS REQUEST** --
Estwanik U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/667,225
Filed: September 19, 2003, For: LOWER EXTREMITY
STRETCHING DEVICE (Our File: 18391.012)

Sir:

The above-noted application was filed almost one year ago, and to date, no Office Action has been received from the Patent Office in connection with this case.

Accordingly, applicant respectfully requests information regarding the status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,


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THE ABOVE-NOTED APPLICATION WAS FILED ALMOST ONE YEAR AGO, AND TO DATE, NO OFFICE ACTION HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE PATENT OFFICE IN CONNECTION WITH THIS CASE. ACCORDINGLY, APPLICANT RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS INFORMATION REGARDING THE STATUS OF THIS APPLICATION.